

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.:	09/977,687	Art Unit:	3609
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Title:	CENTRALIZED BILLING CREDIT SYSTEM UTILIZING A PREDETERMINED UNIT OF USAGE		

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed April 18, 2007. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: